

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Paul Grayson Smith III  
on becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when the youth of our country face tremendous challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of this nation's greatest assets, providing young people ages six to twenty with an educational program geared toward character development, citizenship training and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is the rank of Eagle Scout, and Paul Grayson Smith III, after considerable hard work and preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, the son of proud parents Dr. and Mrs. Paul Grayson Smith, Jr. and grandson of Mr. Tom Mosley and Dr. Paul Grayson Smith, Sr., also an Eagle Scout, Paul is a student at McCallie School, where he will graduate June 2, 1995; and

WHEREAS, Paul is also the brother of Jennifer Grayson Smith, a University of Tennessee student who received the highest Girl Scout honor, the Gold Award; and

WHEREAS, Paul has excelled both academically and athletically while at McCallie and has been a member of the crew team and diving team, in addition to playing basketball and golf; and

WHEREAS, most recently, Paul demonstrated his incredible abilities by placing twelfth in the state high school diving meet; and

WHEREAS, his exemplary accomplishments as a Boy Scout include 24 Merit Badges and excellent leadership as patrol leader, swimming instructor, assistant patrol leader, and junior assistant Scout Master; and

WHEREAS, his Eagle project benefited his community and Tennessee as he was involved in marking hardwood trees to be saved in preparation for the development of the newest city park, Fletcher Park; and

WHEREAS, he also demonstrates his strong faith as an active member of Wesley Memorial Methodist Church; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we pause to specially recognize Paul Smith as one of the most outstanding young people in our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and commend Paul Grayson Smith III upon becoming an Eagle Scout and recognize his many accomplishments as a McCallie student and exemplary young man in the Cleveland and Chattanooga communities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.